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SUBJECT: BOMB ATTACK ON JEWISH GEMEINDEHAUS

1. BOMB ATTACK ON JEWISH GEMEINDEHAUS AND ITS DIRECTOR HEINZ GALINSKI FOCUS OF HEAVY ATTENTION IN BERLIN PRESS AUG 21. INITIAL POLICE REPORT INDICATES THAT AT APPROXIMATELY 0900 AUGUST 20, 1975, A SMALL PACKAGE WAS DELIVERED TO GEMEINDEHAUS LOCATED IN BRITISH SECTOR THROUGH NORMAL POSTAL CHANNELS. PACKAGE WAS ADDRESSED TO GALINSKI WITH RETURN ADDRESS OF W. SYLTEN, A FRIEND OF GALINSKI'S. UPON OPENING PACKAGE GALINSKI'S SECRETARY FOUND GLASS BOTTLE AND SUSPICIOUS WIRING INSIDE A SMALLER 17X13. 5X7.5 CM WOODEN BOX. SHE CALLED SYLTEN WHO SAID HE HAD NOT SENT A PACKAGE. POLICE WERE NOTIFIED AND BOX WAS REMOVED FROM BUILDING AND PLACED IN SPECIAL VEHICLE. SHORTLY THEREAFTER THERE WAS A SMALL PUFF OF SMOKE AND BOX BURST INTO FLAMES. AFTER FIRE WAS EXTINGUISHED, BOX WAS FOUND TO CONTAIN SEVERAL WIRES AND AN ELECTRICAL DETONATING DEVICE IN ADDITION TO BOTTLE OF A YET UNIDENTIFIED TYPE EXPLOSIVE. POLICE INVESTIGATION CONTINUES. GEORGE

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